



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

BERRY et al.

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For: "PROCESS FOR PRODUCTION OF
N-GLUCOSAMINE"

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment and Response is submitted in response to a non-final Office Action having a mailing date of June 30, 2004. Enclosed herewith is a request for a two month extension of time, to extend the time for responding from September 30, 2004 to November 30, 2004. No additional fees are believed to be due in connection with this response, but in the event that fees are due, please debit Deposit Account No. 19-1970.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

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